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Under Section 144 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1973

Whereas, a meeting was convened by Hon'ble Chief Minister, Goa on 2nd September, 2016 for preparedness of Annual Qurbani Festival to be held from 13th to 15th September, 2016;

And Whereas, the Association of All Goa Muslim Jamaats informed that the Association would be transporting around 250 to 300 animals from Karnataka to Goa State through the gates of Mollem in Dharbandora and the transportation of animals from Karnataka to Goa State till the Goa Meat Complex, Usgao shall commence from 8th September to 15th September, 2016;

And Whereas, as per discussions held during the meeting convened by the Secretary (Animal Husbandry) on 02-09-2016, these animals would be kept at Goa Meat Complex prior to few days of Qurbani Festival, 2016.

And Whereas, the representative of the Department of Food and Drugs Administration and Department of Animal Husbandry & Veterinary Services shall be placed for duty at the Mollem Gate to ensure compliance of various provisions as per the Act of the Department relating to the

transportation of animals and directions of Hon'ble High Court of Bombay at Goa vide Order dated 18-09-2014 in Writ Petition No. 540/2014, during Qurbani Festival.

And Whereas, during Qurbani Festival, bulls are being slaughtered at the Goa Meat Complex, situated at Usgao, which as of now is being monitored by the Hon'ble High Court of Bombay at Panaji and in furtherance to the directives issued by the Hon'ble High Court, a Committee is constituted to monitor the entry of cattle that would be taken inside the meat complex for the purpose of slaughter;

And Whereas, in the past, some incidents have occurred more precisely in the year 2013 whereby some NGO's had convulged at a distance of such 30 mts. away from the Goa Meat Complex and were chanting bhajans by displaying some anti-slaughter banners;

And Whereas, such situations can cause intimidation and provocation amongst the society and may also disrupt the activity of slaughter which will be undertaken in accordance with the directives issued by the Hon'ble High Court;

And Whereas, it may cause tensions in the society leading to breach of communal peace and tranquility;

And Whereas, it is expedient to take preventive action to avoid violence and serious law and order problems;

And Whereas, the circumstances do not permit serving of the notice in due time individually;

Now therefore, I, L.S.R. Pereira, District Magistrate, South Goa District, Margao is of opinion that preventive action is required and hence it is

necessary to impose provision of Section 144 Cr. P.C. Therefore, in exercise of the powers vested in me under Section 144 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1973, do hereby prohibit gathering of persons of more than 4 in and around the periphery of the compound wall of the Goa Meat Complex situated at Usgao, Ponda-Goa and within 1 km. radius from the compound wall of Goa Meat Complex, Usgao, for a period of 8 days w.e.f. 00.00 hrs. of 08-09-2015 till the midnight of 15-09-2015.

Any person contravening this Order shall be punishable under Section 188 of the Indian Penal Code.

Given under my hand and seal of this Office on this 7th day of September, 2016.

Margao.— The District Magistrate, South Goa,
L. S. R. Pereira.

Corrigendum

No. 37/9/2016/QUR-FES/MAG/X/16679

Read: 1. This office order of even number dated 7-9-2016.

At para 11 of the above referred order, the line “for a period of 8 days w.e.f. 00.00 hours of 08-09-2015 till the midnight of 15-09-2015” may be substituted and read as “for a period of 8 days w.e.f. 00.00 hours of 08-09-2016 till the midnight of 15-09-2016”.

The other contents of the said order shall remain unchanged.

Given under my hand and seal of this Office on this 14th day of September, 2016.

Margao.— The District Magistrate, South Goa,
Swapnil M. Naik, IAS.

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